Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty, and concern for others; and,

Whereas, Blaine has dedicated 30 years of service to his banking career, and devoted his life to the betterment of his community, the caring and sharing with family and friends, and the day-to-day giving which makes South Dakota a great state in which to live and work; and,

Whereas, Blaine has been active in American Legion activities, and is currently the Brookings County Commander of the American Legion; and,

Whereas, Blaine has worked with the American Legion baseball program for many years, and has contributed many hours preparing the baseball field, and the addition of lights on the field; and,

Whereas, Blaine plans to golf, spend time with his children and grandson, and enjoy time in his vegetable and flower gardens:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim April 29, 2011, as

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in South Dakota, and I join with his family and friends in wishing him a fulfilling and happy retirement.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fourteenth Day of April in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eleven.

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Jason M. Gant, Secretary of State